

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please rewrite the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 28 as follows:

Suitable additives to be used in the formulation according to the present invention are adjuvants, ~~expedients~~ excipients etc. including solvents, preserving agents, flavouring agents, fillers, gelling agents and mucoadhesive polymers. Preferred solvents are alcohols, especially ethanol, water and mixtures thereof. Preferred preserving agents are lower alkyl parahydroxybenzoates, especially methyl and propyl parahydroxybenzoate, and mixtures thereof. Preferred flavouring agents are aspartame, artificial flavours, such as black currant 502.009, and mixtures thereof.